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Finding the element boron might not seem exciting, but if you find it on Mars and you're interested in alien life, it's a big deal. Like manganese, another element that NASA's Curiosity rover discovered in surprising abundance on Mars, boron has a lot to say about the habitability of the Red Planet.

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